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Federal Communications Commission

Attn: FCC Docket 92-235, 1919 M Street, N. W., 222 Washington, D. C. 20554/

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SUBJECT: Proposed ruling to free up radio

frequencies in urban areas.

Dear Sirs:

Emmet County would be opposed to any regulation that would limit radio frequencies available to local government or that would limit the power of our current base stations. Such limitations, if imposed, could cause major disruptions to the radio communication of local government for the following reasons:

- 1. The communication industry does not currently manufacture equipment capable of meeting the proposed regulations (operate within 4 KHZ of bandwidth for repeater base stations).
- 2. Enormous cost would be incurred by local governments if many public service radio systems are required to convert because of the new regulations.

Thank you for affording us the opportunity to express our concerns.

Sincerely,

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